

MANCHESTER STREET GENERATING STATION, FOAMITE HOUSE  
460 Eddy Street  
Providence  
Providence County  
Rhode Island

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Northeast Field Area  
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**Location:** 460 Eddy Street, Providence, Providence County, Rhode Island

UTM: 19.300270.4631900

USGS QUAD: Providence, Rhode Island

**Engineer/Architect:** United Engineers & Constructors, Inc., Philadelphia (engineers)

**Date of Construction:** 1940

**Present Owner:** Narragansett Electric Company  
460 Eddy Street  
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

**Present Use:** Foam house

**Significance:** This small maintenance building used for fire fighting and safety is significant as a secondary, but important component of the power plant operations.

**Project Information:** This documentation was undertaken in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, prior to demolition and new construction for a repowering project using combustion turbines.

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